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 CITY HALL, HONGKONG.  
 TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) EVENING,  
 the 16th instant.  
 UNDER DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE.  
 NOTICE.  
 THE PEOPLE'S CONCERT  
 COMMITTEE  
 Beg to intimate to the Public of Hongkong  
 that under the distinguished patronage and in  
 the immediate presence of  
 HIS EXCELLENCY  
 SIR GEORGE PERGUSON BOWEN,  
 Q.M.G., and  
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 LIEUT.-COL. GRAVES and the OFFICERS  
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 LAST ENTERTAINMENT  
 this Season at  
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TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) EVENING, the 16th inst., when they will be favoured by the Assistance of Several well-known AMATEURS, who have not yet appeared at these CONCERTS, in addition to those who have met with favour in former Performances.

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Doors open at 8.30; Concert to commence at 9 P.M. sharp.

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G. E. SWALES,  
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, 13th May, 1885. (322)

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 Hongkong, 14th May, 1885.

IN THE MATTER OF WILLIAM MOSTY,  
 MORGAN, Deceased.

PURSUANT to an Order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong made on the 29th day of April, 1885, notice is hereby GIVEN that all Persons having CLAIM against the Estate of WILLIAM MOSTY MORGAN late of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong, who died on the 2nd day of April, 1885, and whose Will was on the 20th day of April, 1885, proved in the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Probate Jurisdiction, are required to appear in the Victoria aforesaid one of the Executors named in the said Will are required to send Particulars of their Claims to the said Executors.

in writing to the  
28th day of August, 1885, after which time the  
Executor will proceed to distribute the Assets  
of the Deceased amongst the Persons entitled  
thereto having regard only to the Claims  
which he shall then have had notice.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1885.

**SHARP, JOHNSON, & STOKES,**  
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